

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Nissl et al.		
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Customer No.	:	69821		

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 13, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.